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Goldsmith News
January 2018
Knights of Columbus
Council #974



Regular Meetings 7:30PM

Mon. Feb. 5, 2018
Mon. Mar. 5, 2018

Officers Meetings 7:00PM

Mon. Feb. 19, 2018
Mon. Mar. 19, 2018

Events

Thursday, March 15 - Pan Fish Fry for members. Serving at 5pm.
Thursday, April 19 - Smelt Fry
April 27, 28, 29 - State KC Convention in Madison West.

Knight of the Month

January 2018

Tom Weyenberg

Tom has been a member since 2004. He helps with many of our KC activities. He is a Fourth Degree Sir Knight and is very active in the Honor Guards with regalia.

Family of the Month

January 2018

Roger and Lori Zumbrock

Roger and Lori are members of Notre Dame Parish. They are very involved in parish activities. Roger is an Usher and Lori is an Extraordinary Minister of Communion.

Nominate a Knight/Family of the Month

We need your input on selecting a Family of the Month and a Knight of the Month each month. Please give your recommendations to Tim Tozer. We know that there are many families who are doing wonderful things in our community.

Knights of Columbus Insurance

If you have any questions or needs, please contact our NEW Field Agent Daniel Gouge at daniel.gouge@kofc.org, by phone 920-815-9108, or by mail at 4414 132nd St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729. Dan is the new agent for the Chippewa Falls Area and is a member of our Fr. Goldsmith 974 Council.

Notice of Member's Illness

Please contact Dale Schultz at 715-944-7483 to report a member's illness or hospitalization. We ask this so we can send our Brother Knight a card conveying our best wishes and prayers.



The KC Hall is a great place for a Wedding or special event. To rent the hall call:
Russ Rowan at 715-723-0487
Steve Gilles at 715-723-1060.

January News

Please send in your dues for 2018

Russ Rowan, our Financial Secretary is in the process of sending out the second dues notice. We have around 200 members that have not paid yet. When we send out 200 notices it costs \$98.00 for postage plus the envelopes and notices. It also takes a considerable amount of time for Russ to do this. That is money we will not have to use for charity. I know it is easy to forget, but lets try to get them sent in ASAP.

New Members

We have a lot of additions to our Council that need noting. Transfers into the Council are Robert Buonicontro, Grover Spencer, and Mark Warns. Welcome Brother Knights! Tom Eder has been busy recruiting for us. We also have had several mini First degrees over the holidays. New members are: Dale Bergeron - 12/15, Don Kuechler - 12/15, Travis Jansen - 12/16, Mark Allen - 12/16, Jon Luther - 12/17, David Plendl - 12/17, and Ryan Bradley - 12/20. Welcome to the Knights of Columbus. We hope you will be able to be active in our programs. Please try to attend meetings when you can so you are able to see what we do.

A big THANK YOU to Tom Eder for his recruiting efforts. However Tom should not be the only recruiter. We all should be bringing in new members. Look around your church. I am sure there are men you know, that are not Knights - ask them to join us. We have a lot to offer.

Charity Raffle Tickets

Paul Nevins is the new Charity Raffle Coordinator for the Council. He urges members to get out and sell these tickets or to purchase them yourself. If you need more tickets, let him know. Please turn in your raffle ticket stubs and money to Paul as soon as you can. He turns in the money each month to the Diocesan Raffle Coordinator. This money comes back to our council when we designate a need for someone. The State Fund also will make grants to someone in our area, if requested by the Council. You can contact Paul at 627 W Central St., Chippewa Falls, WI 54729, by phone 715-720-9601, or by email at nevinspa@charter.net.

Bingo

Bingo proceeds are what oils the machinery of our Charity programs. Jeff Smiskey tells us that it is going well. A big pot a few weeks ago generated over \$2000 profit. He usually has plenty of good help, but says more are welcome since not everyone is able to come every week. Thanks to all who help with this in the hall and also Jane and her crew in the kitchen.

Wanted: Youth Programs Coordinator

Grand Knight Kevin Van Den Heuvel is looking for someone to help with the youth programs for the Council. We have fallen back on participating in some of our programs since we do not have anyone to coordinate this. Please contact Kevin if you are willing to help.

Wanted: Public Relations Coordinator

We do so much for the community, but few people are aware of what we do. Perhaps if we had someone to get information to the papers, local, diocesan, Columbia, etc. men would know what we do and would like to join us. Please consider helping with this. It does not require a lot of time.

Help put our History Book together again

This is not a tough job, it just takes a little time. We can help you get started. We have some History Books in the cabinet in the Chambers to use as samples. The forms are online. If some things are added each month, as they happen, it is pretty easy. Please consider helping with this. This program is one that the council needs to meet its goals.

Coats for Kids Donation

Goldsmith Council 974 recently purchased \$450.00 worth of winter jackets for kids from the Supreme Council. We had 24 coats, 12 for girls and 12 for boys. These coats were donated to the St. Francesa Resource Center at Notre Dame. They went fast and were appreciated. We will plan to do this again next year.

Donation to the KC Council

Carol Waldusky donated \$100.00 to the Fr. Goldsmith Council 974 in memory of her husband Wayne, who passed away December 28, 2017. Wayne was a member of the council for 47 years and served the council as Grand Knight in the 1970's.

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Goldsmith Council #974

Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Grand Knight, Kevin Van Den Heuvel

Chaplain, Rev. Father Justin Kizewski

January 3rd, 2018;

Happy New Year to the teachers and students at St. Peter's School, Tilden. Thank you for taking part in our annual Christmas poster contest. We enjoyed looking at all your ideas. There were 111 participants in the 2017 Knights of Columbus Christmas poster contest, and 138 the year before. The first through fourth place winners are below. Please note that first place winners in grades one through four are sent to the Diocese for further competition and will be returned in January 2018.

First Place Winners

Grade	Name	School
1	Aubrey Buescher	St. Charles Borromeo
2	Margaret Bohl	St. Peter's School Tilden
3	Aleah Bowe	St. Peter's School Tilden
4	Clare Frances Bohl	St. Peter's School Tilden
5	Kendall Hepfler	St. Peter's School Tilden
6	Maria Herron	St. Peter's School Tilden

Second Place Winners

Grade	Name	School
1	Caroline Hanson	St. Charles Borromeo
2	B.J. Cooper	St. Peter's School Tilden
3	Miles Schmidgall	Holy Ghost Elementary
4	Lauren Grill	St. Peter's School Tilden
5	Isaiak Miller	St. Charles CCD

Third Place Winners

Grade	Name	School
1	Landyn Baier	St. Charles Borromeo
2	Michael Herron	St. Peter's School Tilden
3	Kherington Mosack	Holy Ghost Elementary
4	Elsa Bohman	St. Peter's School Tilden
5	Avery Bowe	St. Peter's School Tilden

Fourth Place Winners

Grade	Name	School
1	Landon Cooley	St. Charles Borromeo
2	Madelyn Wahl	St. Peter's School Tilden
3	Korynn Grunwald	Holy Ghost Elementary
4	John Herron	St. Peter's School Tilden
5	Colton Swoboda	St. Peter's School Tilden

John M. Czech Jr.
Poster Contest Coordinator